

TUESDAY, January 14th, 1840.

The house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Graves appeared and took his seat.

The bill which originated in the senate, entitled an act to repeal the 4th section of an act entitled a supplement to an act to provide for electing commissioners for Allegany county, and prescribing their duties and powers, passed December session 1838, chapter 316, was returned, and

The bill entitled an act to confirm an act for the establishment of a municipal jurisdiction over a part of Anne Arundel county, and to alter and change the constitution of this state as far as may be necessary to effect the same, passed at December session, 1838, chapter 22, was sent to the senate.

The speaker laid before the House the memorial of John Eversfield of Prince George's county, setting forth the grievous injury inflicted upon him in his rights of property by an act of Assembly, passed in the year 1828, granting to another individual a road through his land; from which he prays to be relieved;

Read.

On motion of Mr. Sprigg,

Referred to Messrs. Sprigg, Tuck and Maccubbin.

Also, a report of the Visitors and Governors of Washington College in Kent county, under act of 1823, chap. 141.

Read and referred to committee on education.

A communication from the clerk of Anne Arundel co., in reference to the attendance of judges;

Read and referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. Quynn presented the memorial of Sarah Easton and Dorothy Sterer, daughters and legal representatives of Robert Hanson Harrison, late aid de camp and military secretary of Gen. Washington, commander in chief of the revolutionary army of the United States, praying to be allowed the amount of pension to which their father was entitled under the resolution of 1779.

Read and referred to the committee on revolutionary claims.

Mr. Owens presented the memorial of Joshua Rawlings and others resident of school district No. 19, in Anne Arundel county, praying for the erection of a new school district in said county.

Also the memorial of William Linthicum and others, resident in school districts No. 19 and 20 in Anne Arundel county, praying for the erection of a new school district in said county.

Severally read and referred to Messrs. Owens, Ridgely and Hammond.

Mr. Mason presented the petition of Sarah Shorber for a divorce from her husband David Shorber,

Read and referred to the committee on divorces;

Also, a communication from the Union Rifle Company of Hagerstown.

Read and referred to the committee on claims.